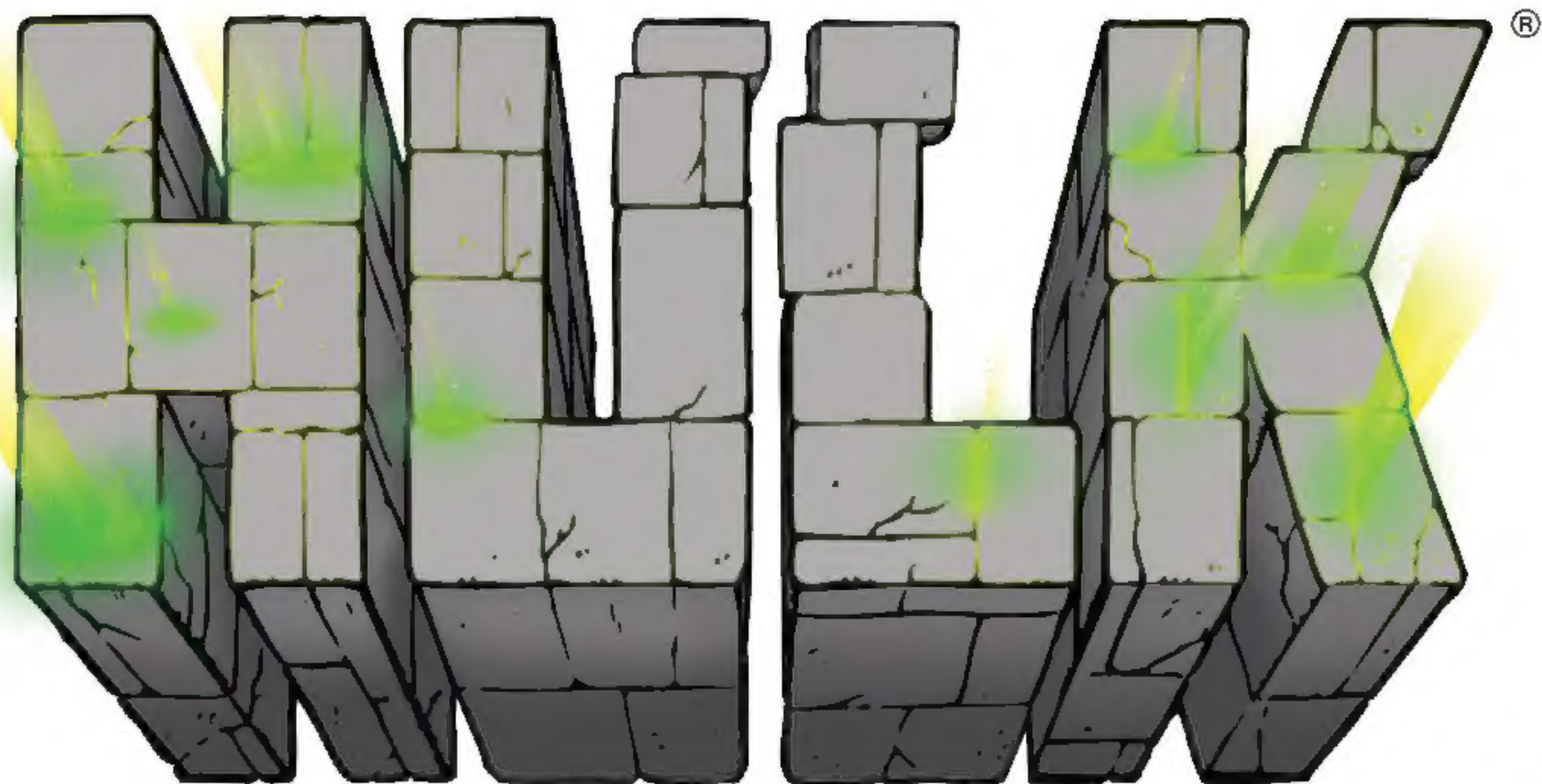


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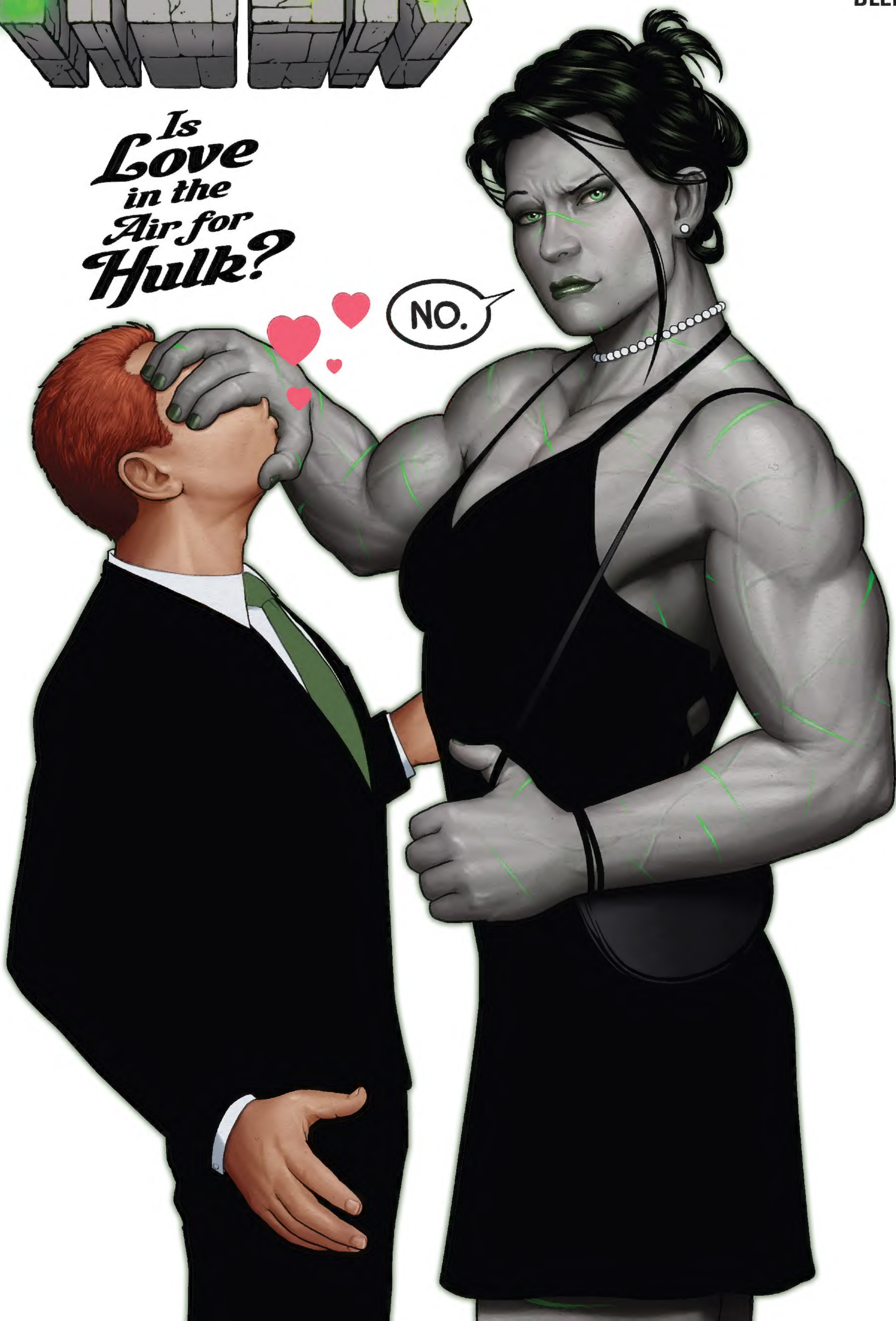
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**TAMAKI
BACHAN
BLEE**



*Is
Love
in the
Air for
Hulk?*

NO.





Jennifer Walters has always battled for justice, both as a lawyer and as the super hero She-Hulk. But during the last super hero civil war, Jen was critically injured. At the same time, Jen's cousin, Bruce Banner, A.K.A. the original Hulk, was murdered. Since the incident, Jen's Hulk persona has become gray, scarred, and muddled by rage.

She-Hulk is no more. Now, there is only



Oh, cool, is it New Comic Book Day already? Best day of the week, amirite?

Anyways, I'm Jen, nice to meet you. This is, uh, my comic book. In the previous issues I've gone through some stuff--dealt with trauma, fought a golem made of rage and fear, and grappled with a YouTube star turned monster on the Brooklyn Bridge. Been a busy few weeks, but my editor and Mariko promised me some downtime this issue and I am REALLY looking forward to it.

Wait--what? They're making me go on a DATE? Oh, come ON!

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JEN'S APARTMENT!
NEW YORK!

OH, HE LIKES
TO WORK OUT! HOW
NOVEL! OH AND HE
LIKES NOVELS. IS
THIS FAKE?

THEY ALL
LIKE NOVELS.
HISTORICAL
NOVELS, PATSY. IT
MEANS YOU'RE
DEEP.

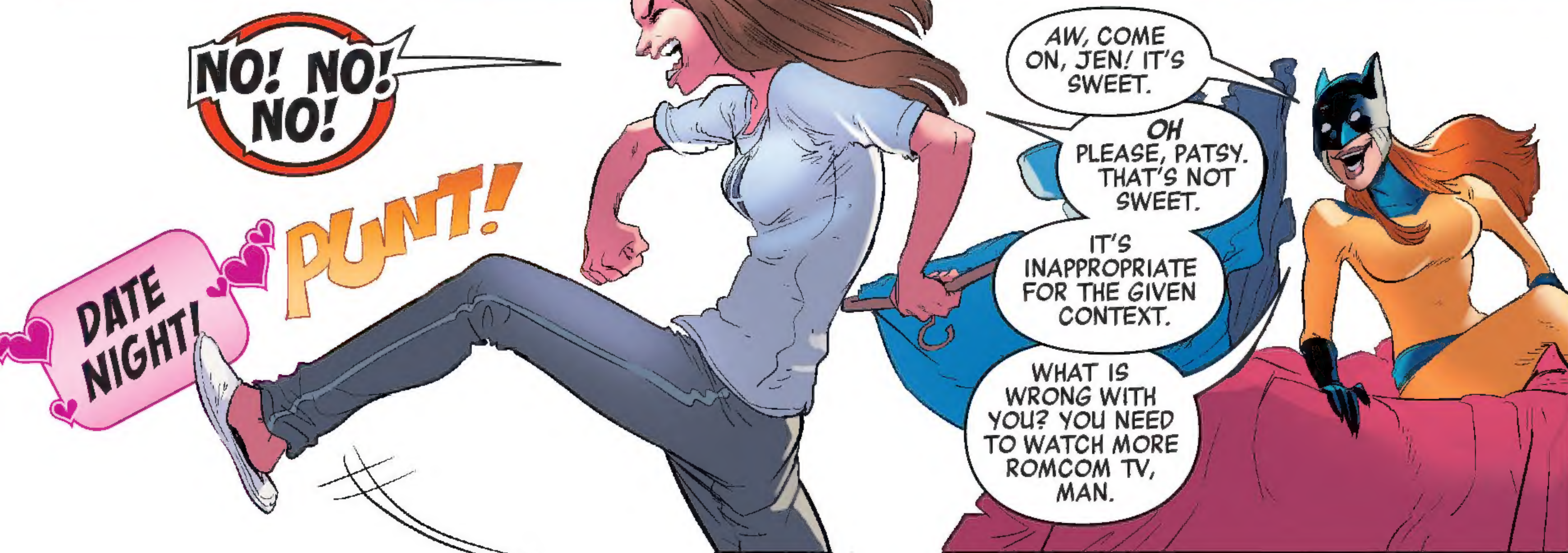
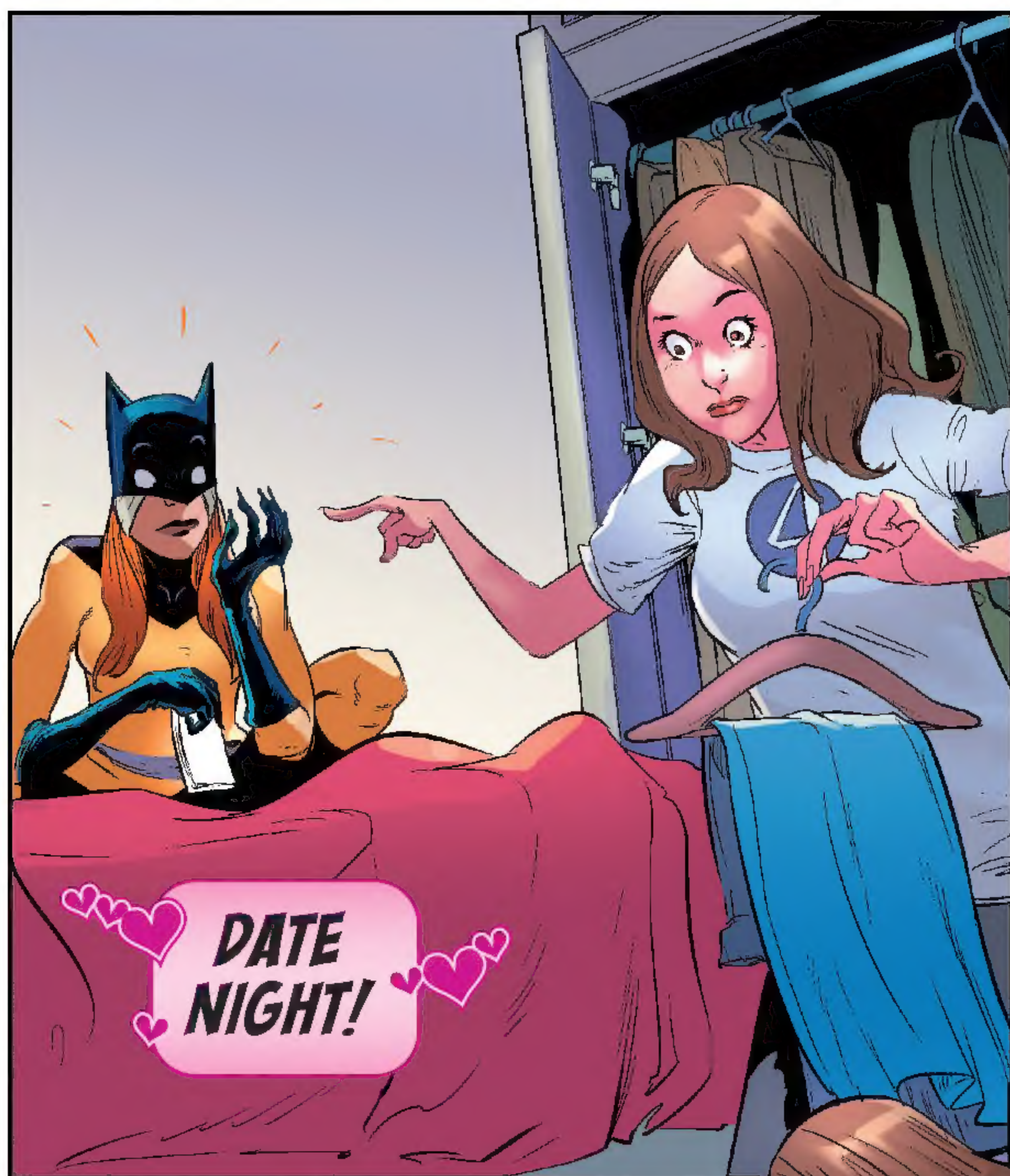


HE
HAS A NICE
PROFILE PIC,
THOUGH.

Mark. 32.

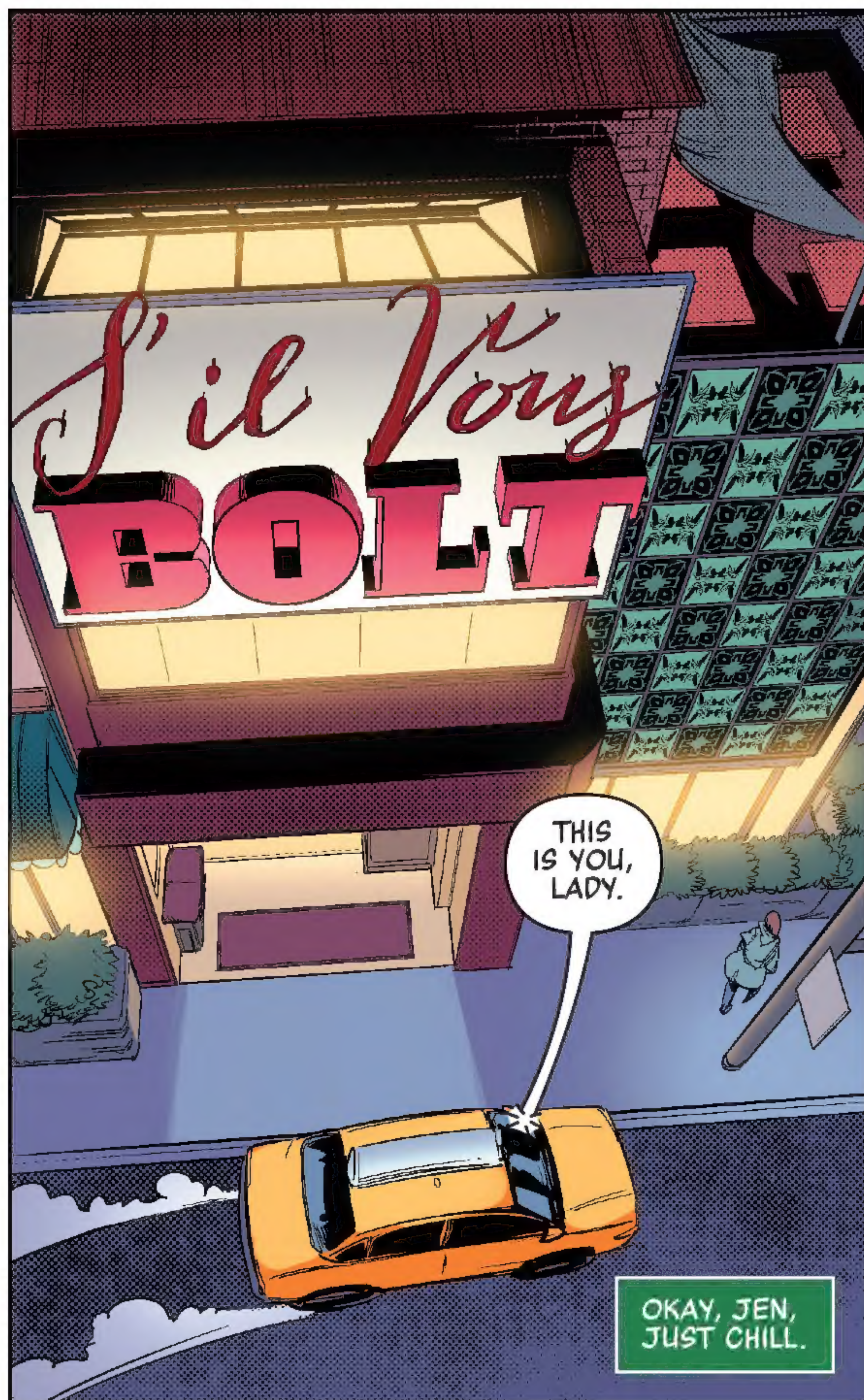
All the great lines are taken by all
the great writers. Let the grapes
fall where they may.

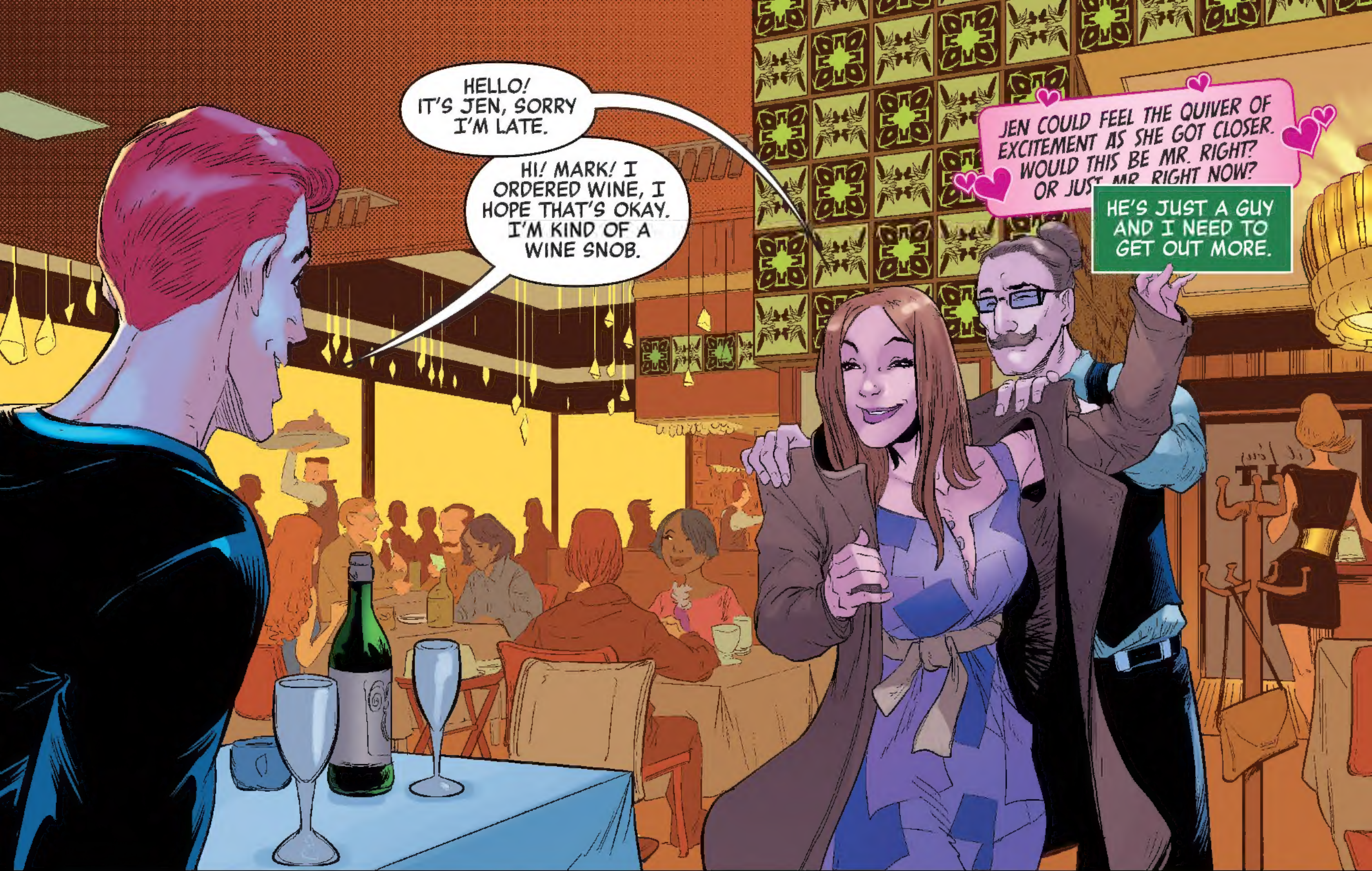
FRIDAY NIGHT IN
NEW YORK CITY.











HELLO!
IT'S JEN, SORRY
I'M LATE.

HI! MARK! I
ORDERED WINE, I
HOPE THAT'S OKAY.
I'M KIND OF A
WINE SNOB.

JEN COULD FEEL THE QUIVER OF
EXCITEMENT AS SHE GOT CLOSER.
WOULD THIS BE MR. RIGHT?
OR JUST MR. RIGHT NOW?

HE'S JUST A GUY
AND I NEED TO
GET OUT MORE.



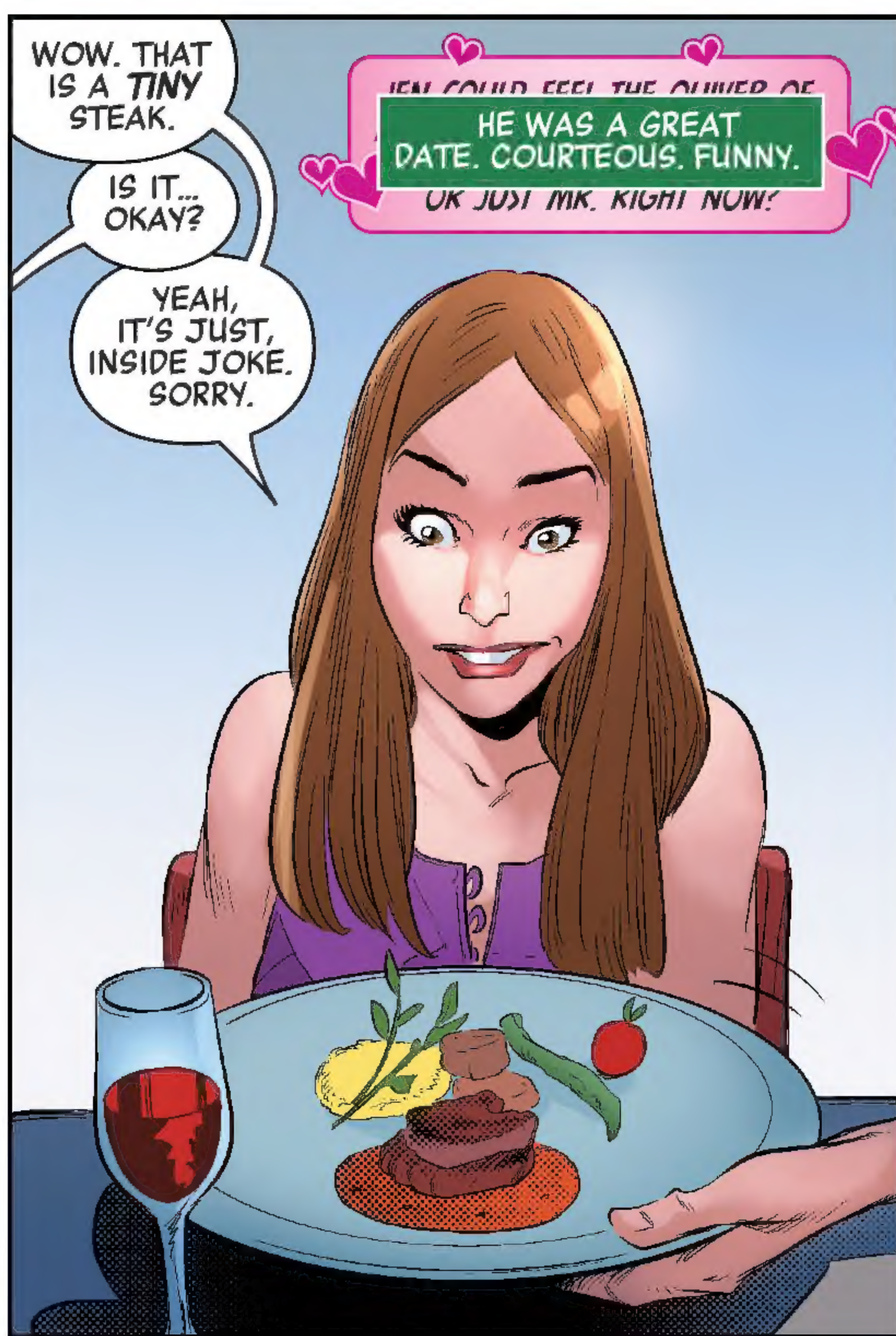
I DIDN'T
PUSH YOUR
CHAIR IN.

YOU DIDN'T
HAVE TO.

IT'S A
GENTLEMAN THING
AND I'M TRYING TO BE
A GENTLEMAN.

JEN COULD FEEL THE QUIVER OF
EXCITEMENT AS SHE GOT CLOSER.
WOULD THIS BE MR. RIGHT?
OR JUST MR. RIGHT NOW?

OBVIOUSLY I DID
A FULL CRIMINAL
RECORD SEARCH ON
HIM. WHAT AM
I, A ROOKIE?

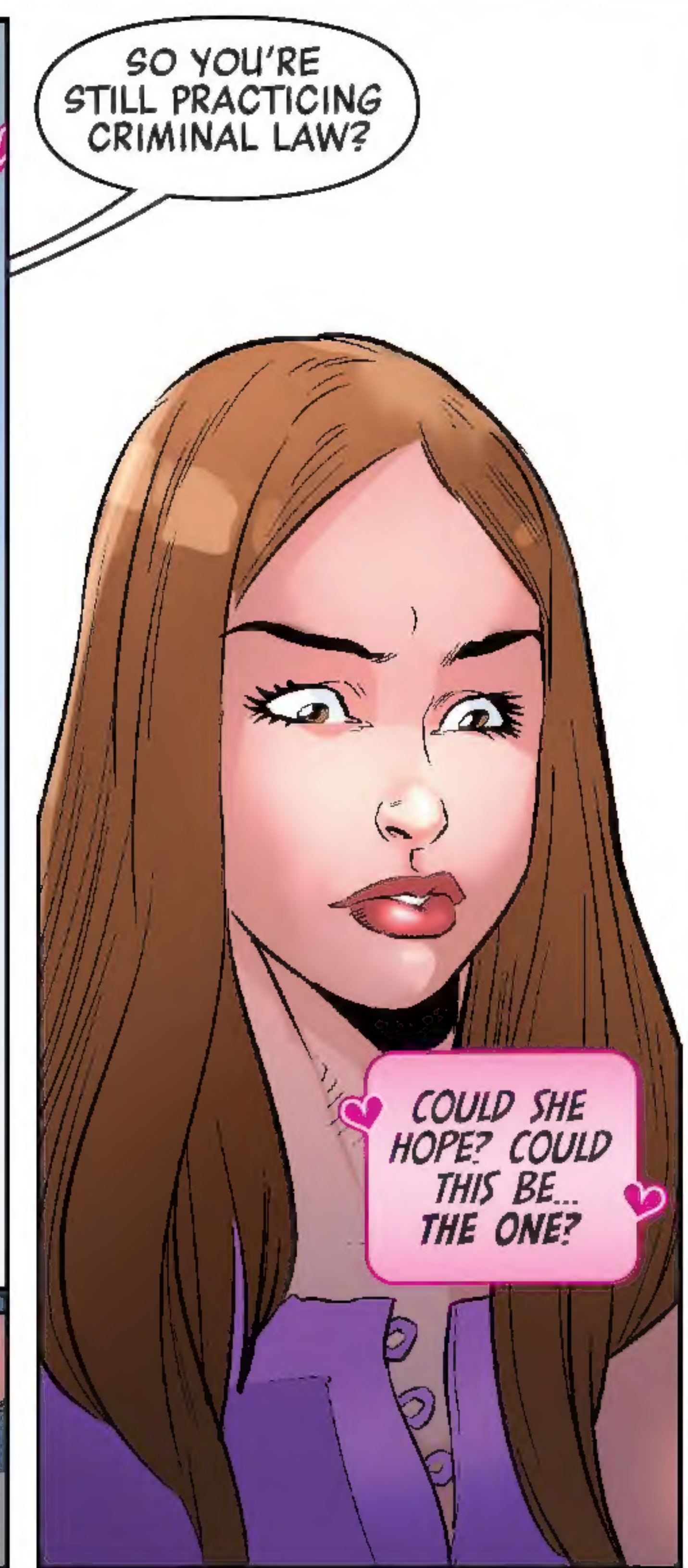


WOW. THAT
IS A TINY
STEAK.

IS IT...
OKAY?

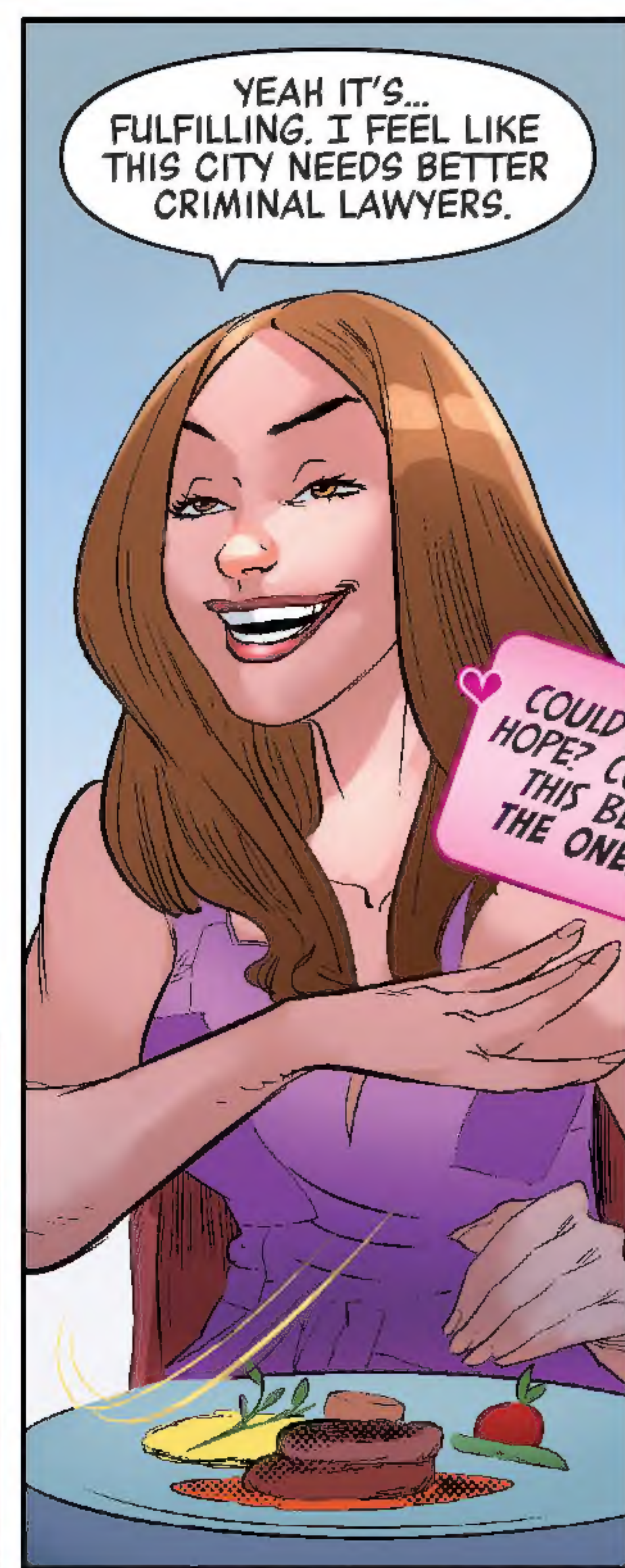
YEAH,
IT'S JUST
INSIDE JOKE.
SORRY.

JEN COULD FEEL THE QUIVER OF
EXCITEMENT AS SHE GOT CLOSER.
WOULD THIS BE MR. RIGHT?
OR JUST MR. RIGHT NOW?



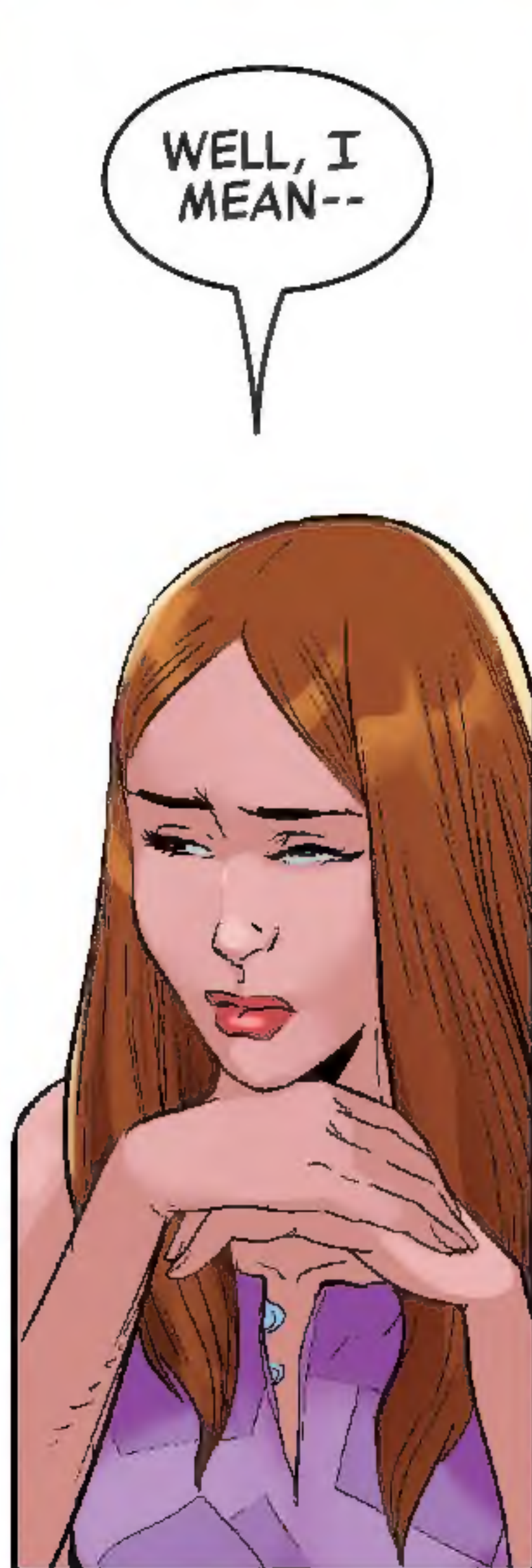
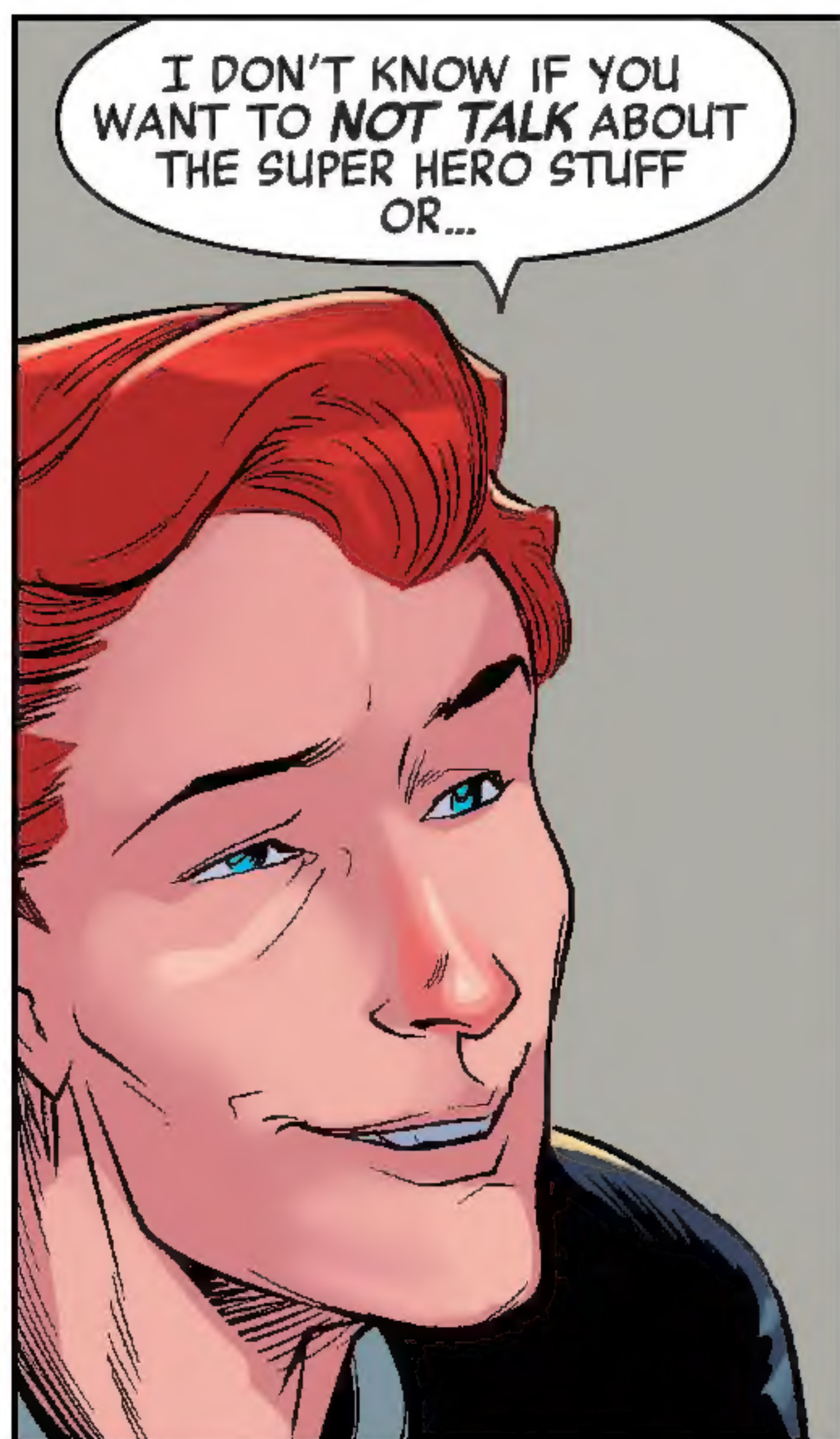
SO YOU'RE
STILL PRACTICING
CRIMINAL LAW?

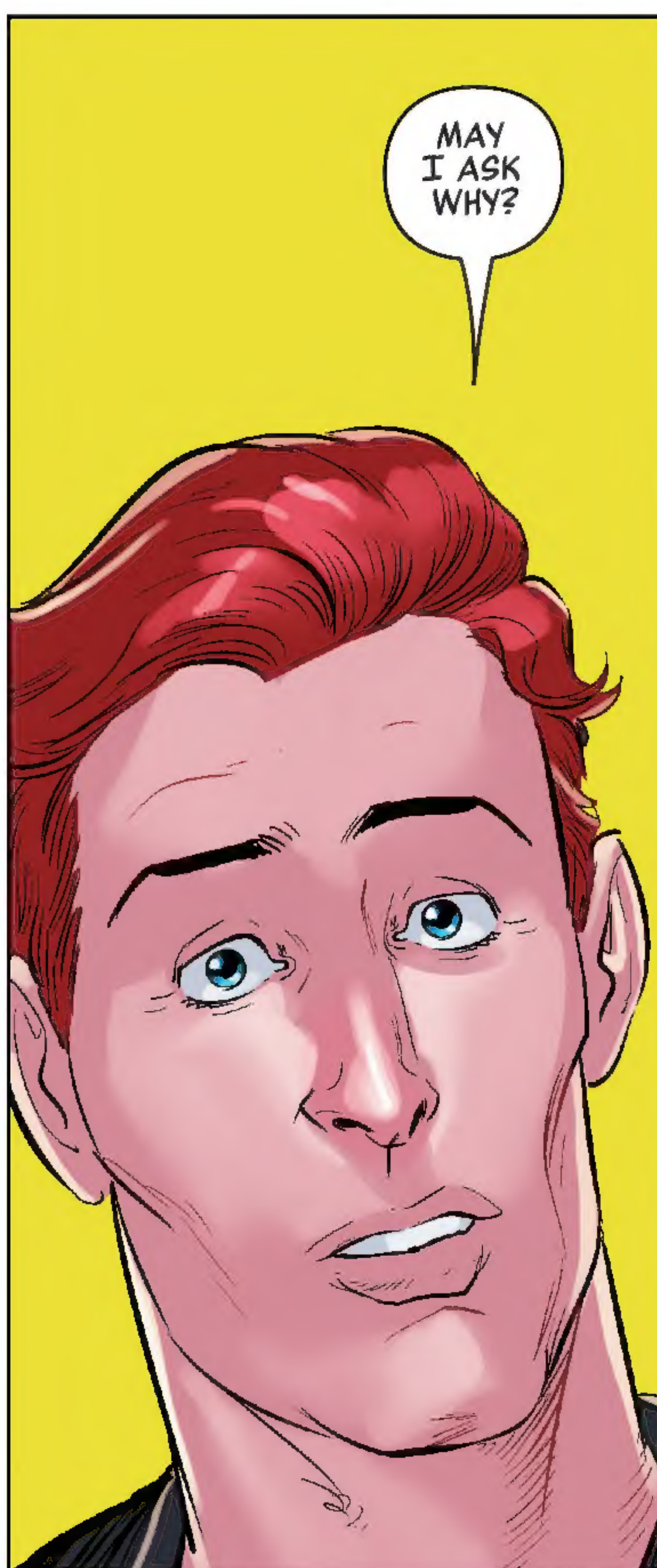
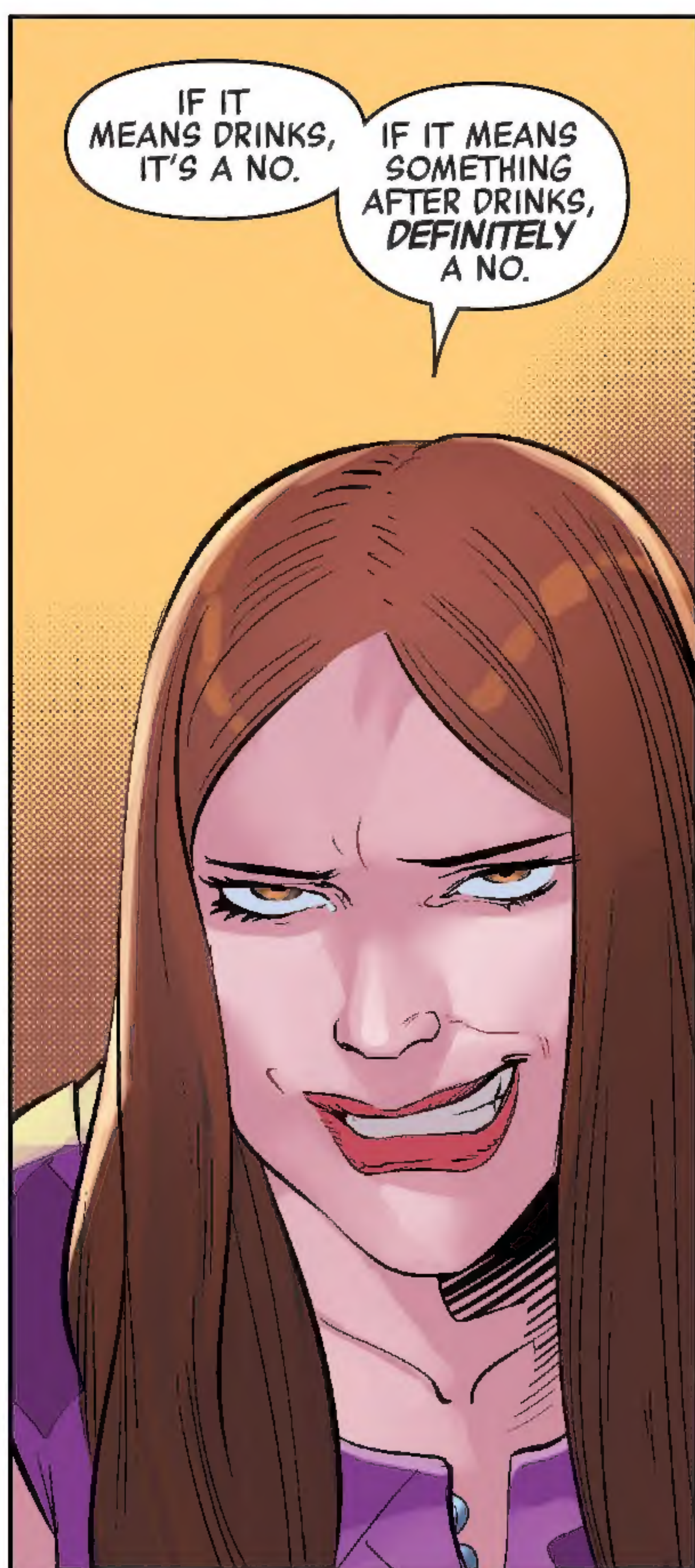
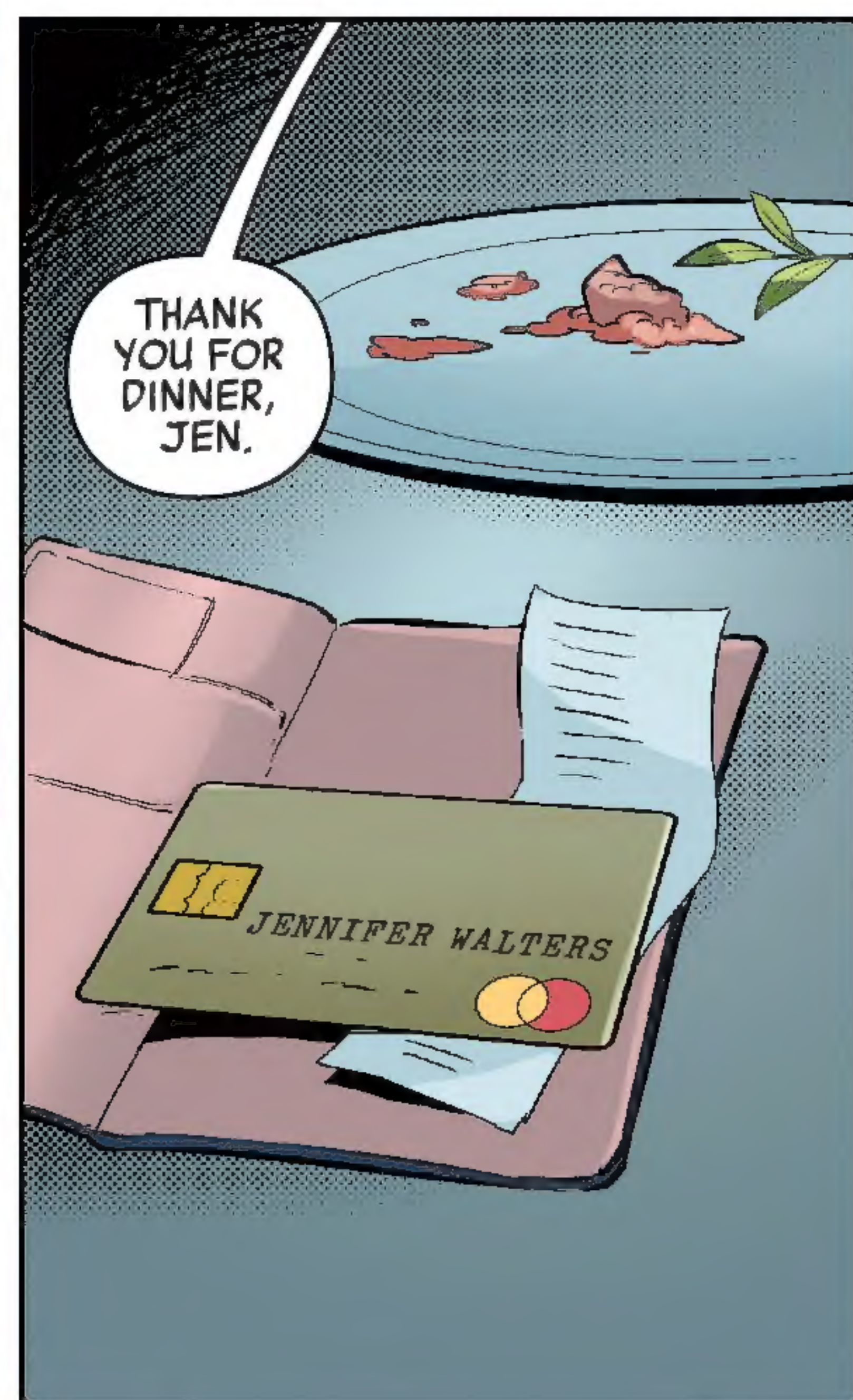
COULD SHE
HOPE? COULD
THIS BE...
THE ONE?

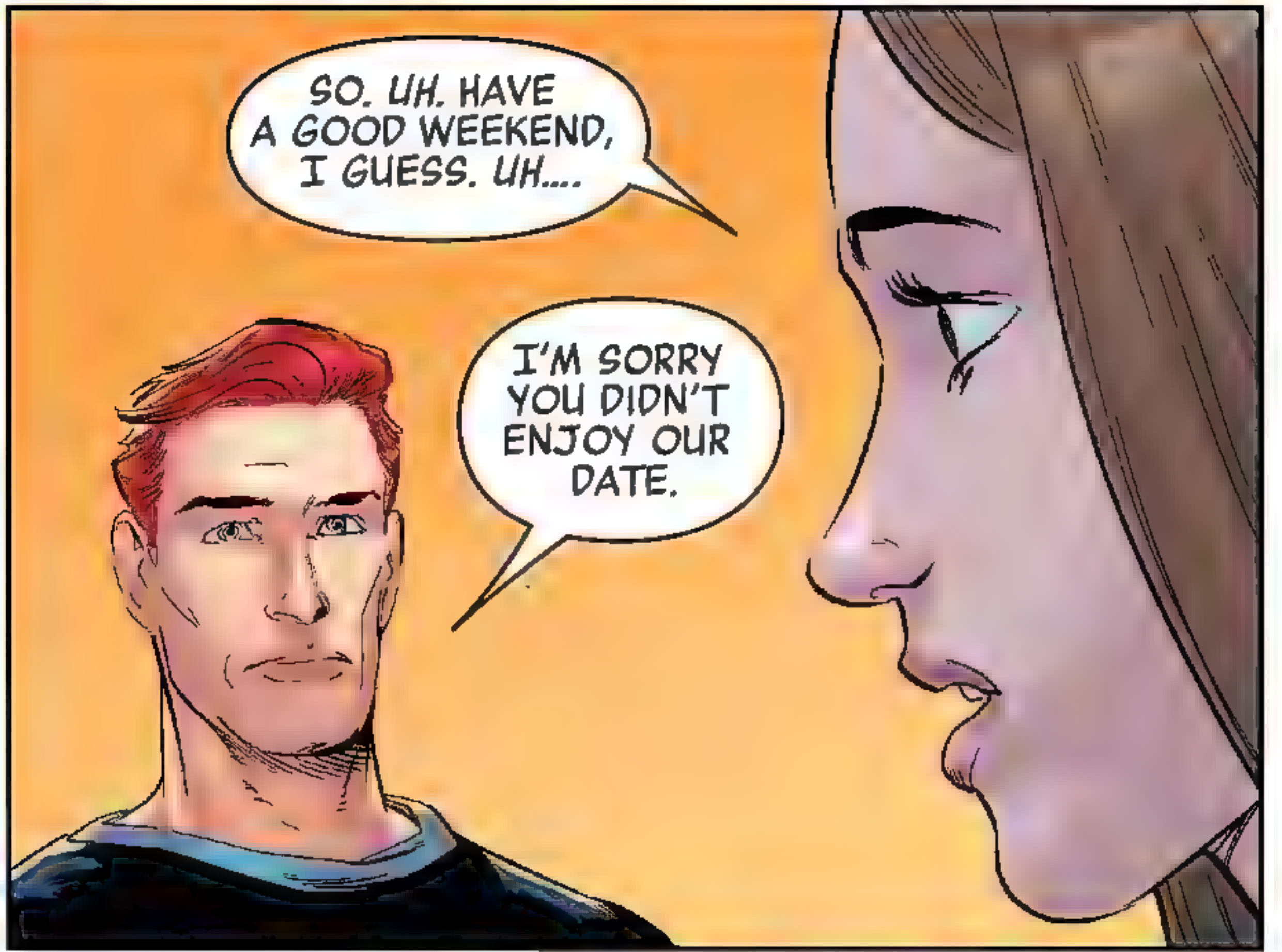
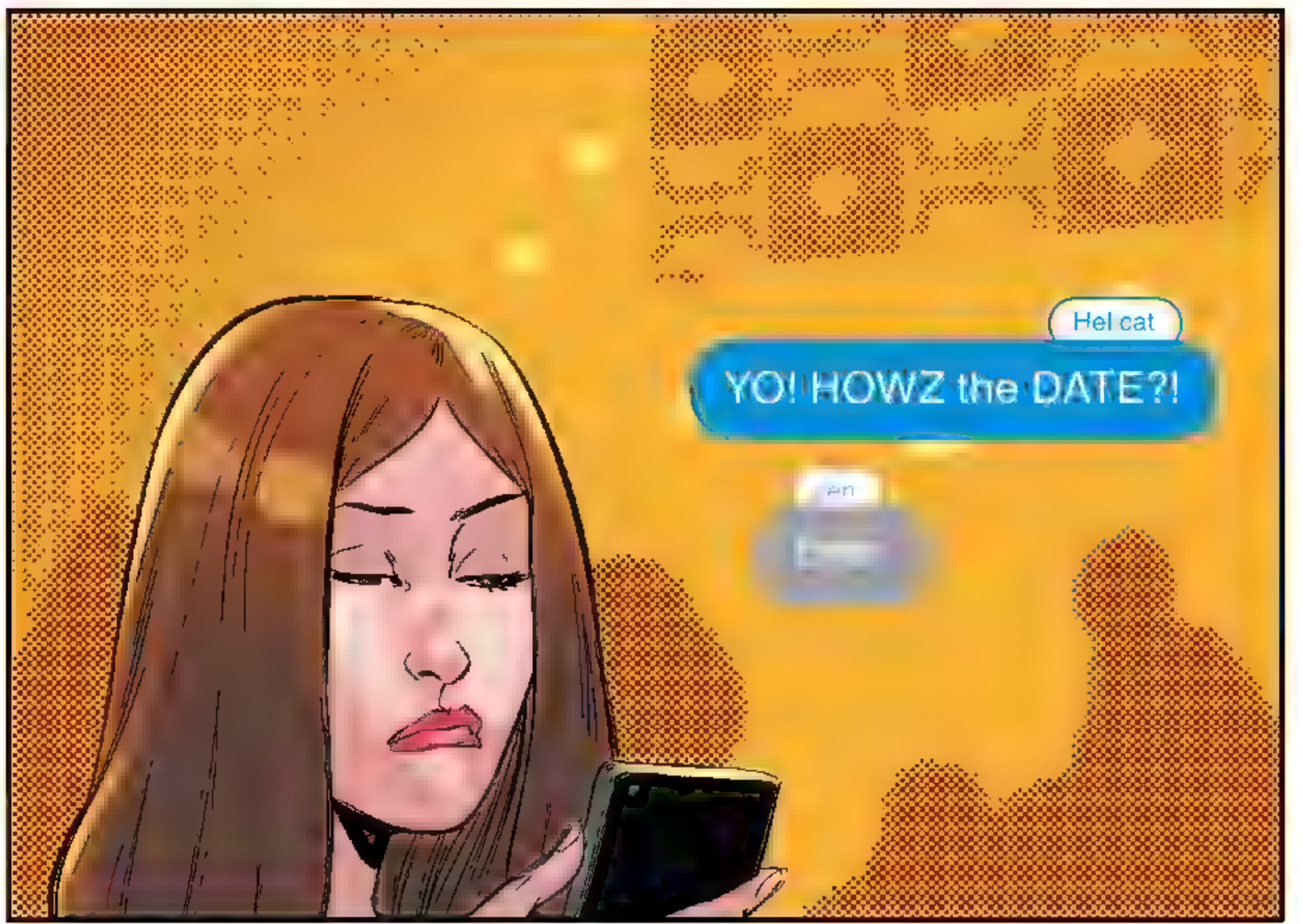


YEAH IT'S...
FULFILLING. I FEEL LIKE
THIS CITY NEEDS BETTER
CRIMINAL LAWYERS.

COULD
HOPE? COULD
THIS BE...
THE ONE?







JEN HAD TO WONDER, DID THIS MEAN ROMANCE WAS DEAD?

WHIRRRR

KLIK KLIK

WHIIIIII

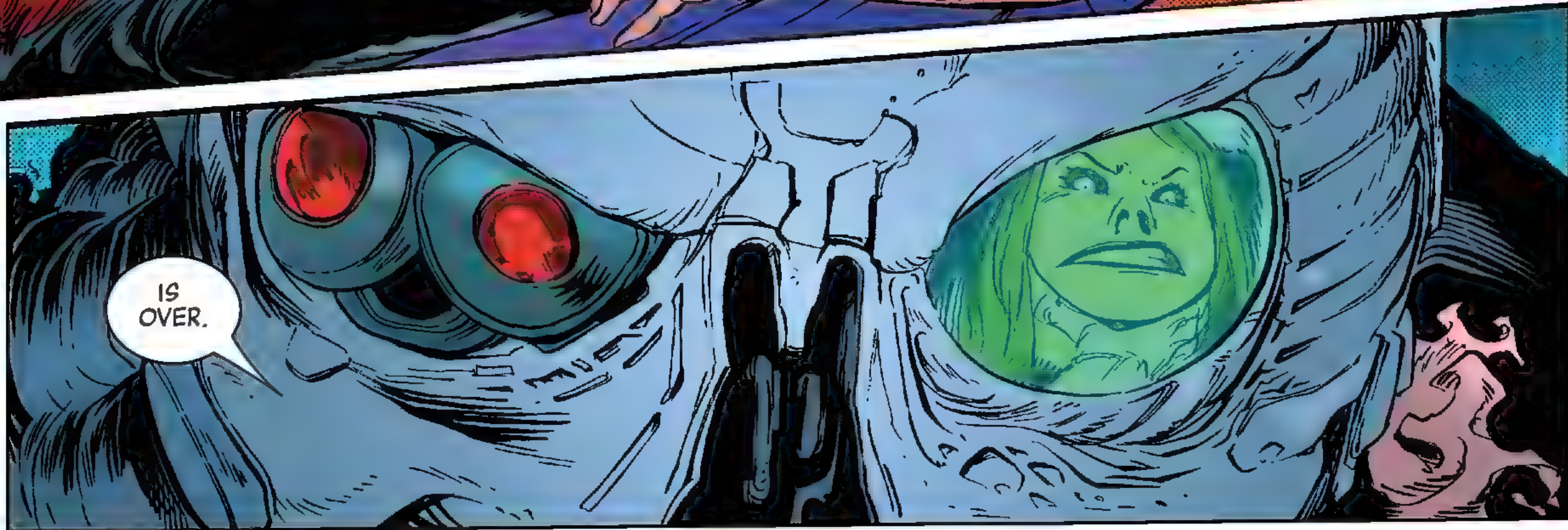
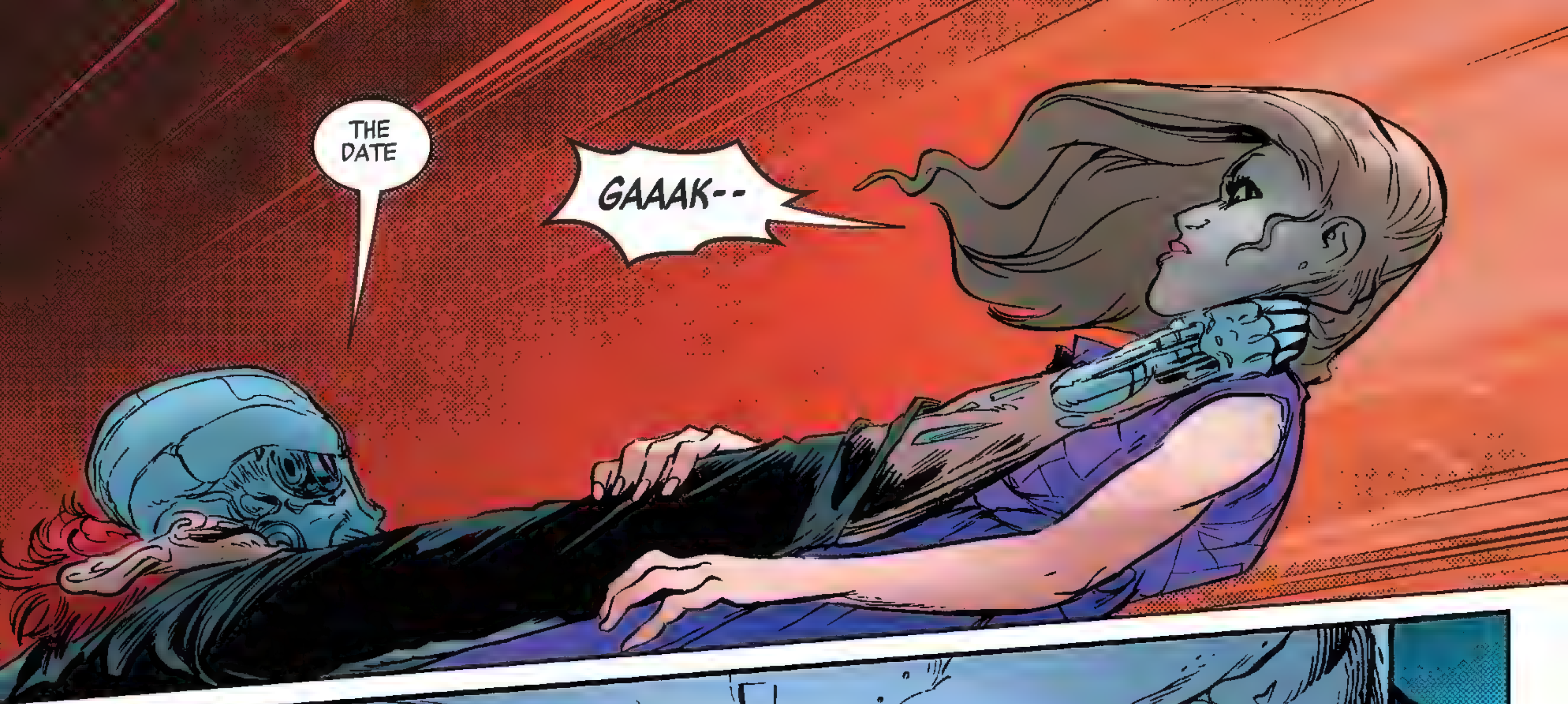


OR WAS IT JUST
THAT MEN WERE MORE
COMPLICATED THAN SHE
COULD EVER IMAGINE?

WHAT
THE

?!
[REDACTED]







Helcat
Like how bad?

Like TV movie
of the week bad?

Did you have to rip his
arm off or something?



WHIRRR
KLIK

WHIRRR

KLIK

KLIK

WHIRRR
KLIK

KLIK
KLIK

Helcat
...did you accidentally
rip his arm off?





At least your nite
was more interesting
than mine.

I spent the nite on
hero duty watching
a guy try to sell
plutonium

PLUTONIUM

Hey I'm
close 2 ur
date place

What was the
name? BOLTS?

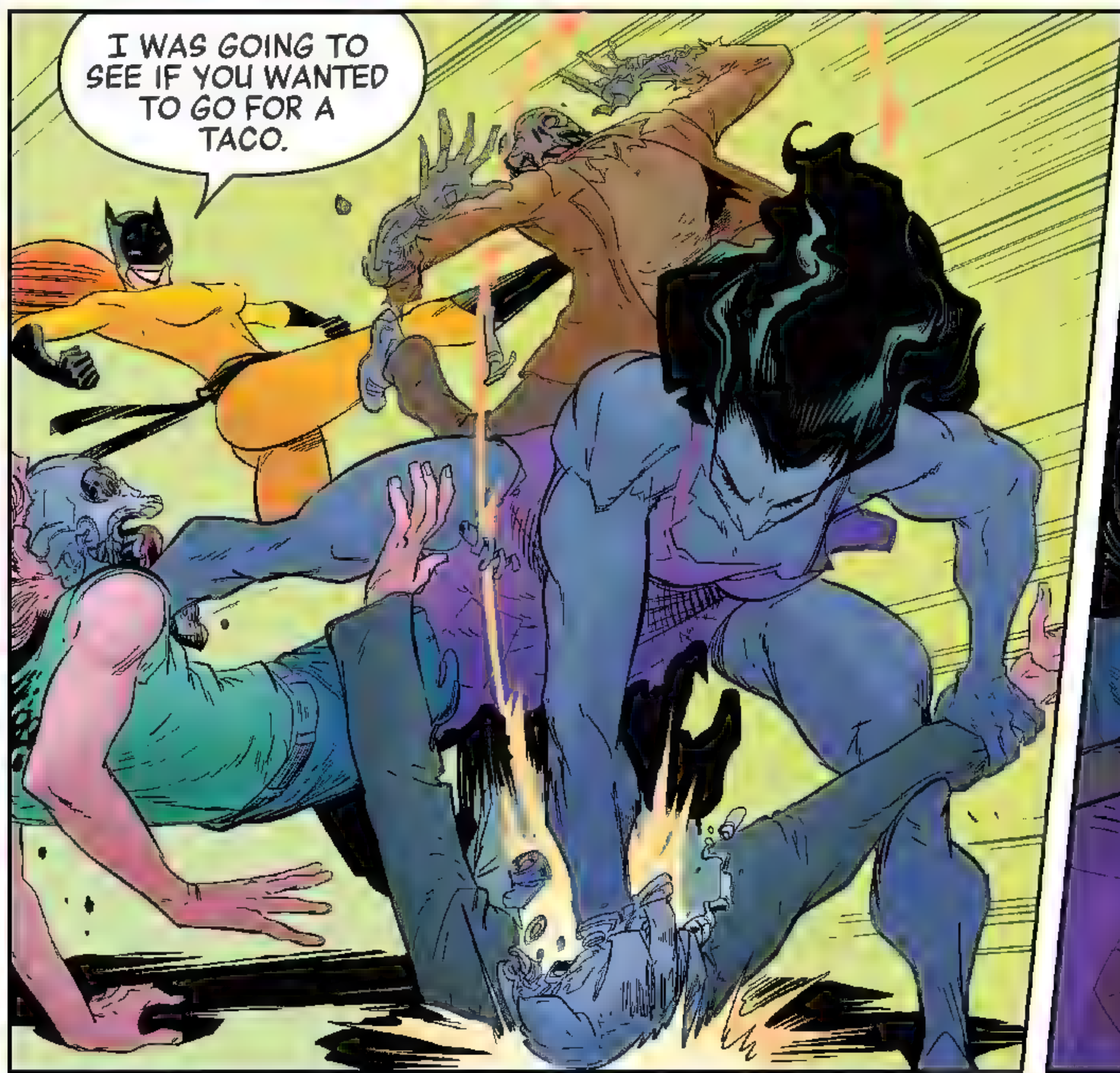
I think
I'm right

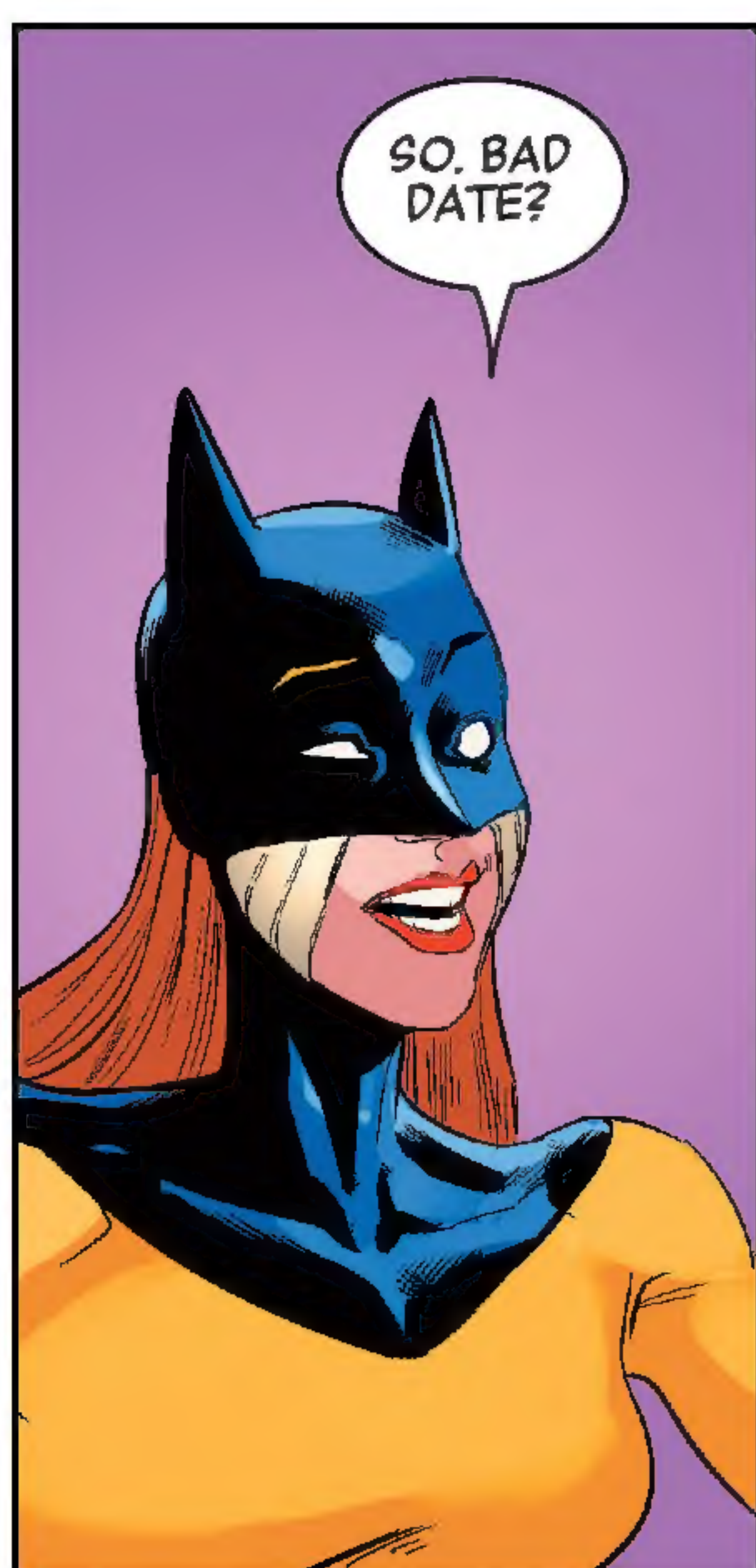
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VERY
INTERESTING.

AN INCREASE
IN MUSCLE MASS
WITH THIS FORM.
A DECREASE IN
MENTAL
ACUITY?







YOU THINK THIS WAS A SETUP?

PROBABLY.

WE'LL LOOK INTO IT.



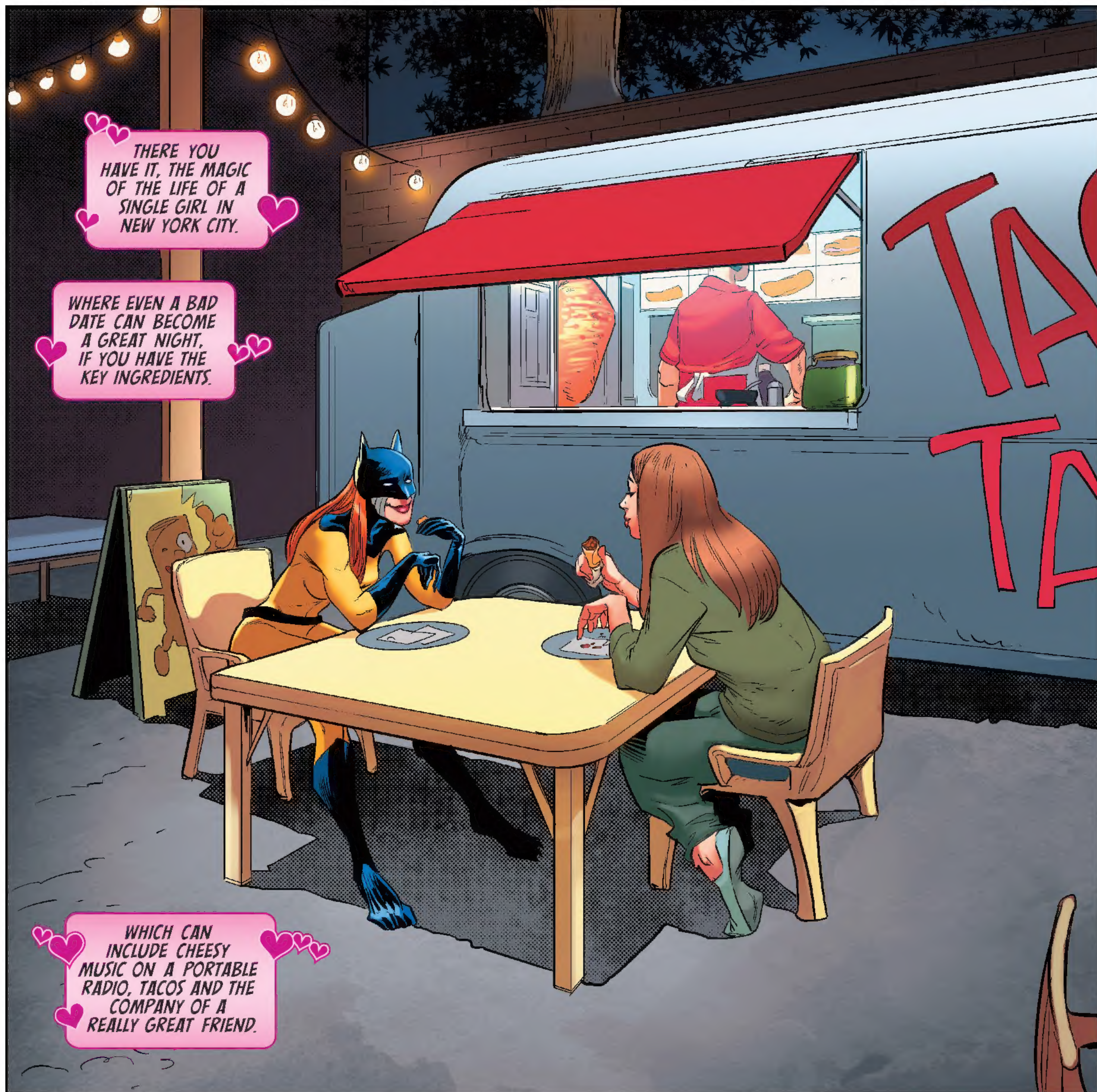
FIRST: MORE TACOS...

CHOMP!



"THEN WE CAN FIGURE OUT THE POSSIBLE CONSPIRACY TO EITHER RUIN ALL MY DATES..."

"...OR KILL ME."



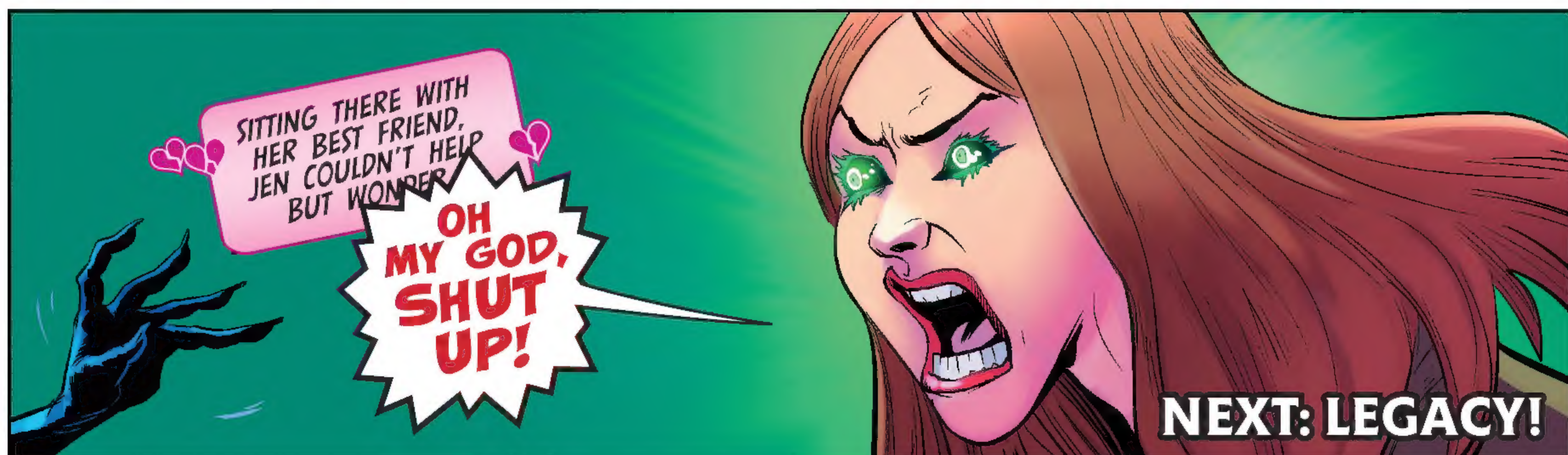
THERE YOU
HAVE IT, THE MAGIC
OF THE LIFE OF A
SINGLE GIRL IN
NEW YORK CITY.

WHERE EVEN A BAD
DATE CAN BECOME
A GREAT NIGHT,
IF YOU HAVE THE
KEY INGREDIENTS.

WHICH CAN
INCLUDE CHEESY
MUSIC ON A PORTABLE
RADIO, TACOS AND THE
COMPANY OF A
REALLY GREAT FRIEND.



SITTING THERE WITH
HER BEST FRIEND,
JEN COULDN'T HELP
BUT WONDER...



SITTING THERE WITH
HER BEST FRIEND,
JEN COULDN'T HELP
BUT WONDER...

OH
MY GOD,
SHUT
UP!

NEXT: LEGACY!

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SHE-HULK

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